

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Iwata IKEDA, et al.

Application No.: 10/668,282

Customer No.: 20277

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Examiner: Benjamin O. Dulaney

Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CREATING A WORKFLOW FOR PRINTING  
AND PREPRESSING MANUFACTURING

**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING RCE**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 14, 2011, wherein a three-month shortened statutory period for response is set to expire on July 14, 2011, and a petition for three-month extension of time up to and including October 14, 2010 is being concurrently filed herewith, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being filed concurrently herewith.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper;

**Remarks** begin on page 11.